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September 9, 1991

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Re: Lenz Oil Site, Lemont, Illinois

Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) Preparation of Risk Assessment by the U.S. EPA

Dear Mr. Furse:

We are in receipt of your letter of August 20, 1991, with regard to your decision to let the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S.EPA) do the Risk Assessment for the Lenz Oil Site.

In accordance with Section XXV of the Administrative Order by Consent for the Lenz Oil Site, the Respondents shall pay for all costs incurred by the U.S.EPA with respect to the Consent Order. This also includes all of our costs incurred in the preparation of the Risk Assessment. The U.S.EPA will recover all of its costs including the cost associated with preparation of the Risk Assessment in accordance with the terms of Section XXV of the Consent Order.

Since U.S.EPA is the reviewing Agency, the Risk Assessment prepared by this office will not be released to the Respondents or their consultants before it is finalized. The Respondents or their consultants, however, have the right to comment on the final document.

If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact me at (312) 353-9236.

Sincerely yours,

Nan Gowda, P.E. Remedial Project Manager

cc: Shirley Baer, IEPA

bcc: **Melinia Gould**, RERB Stu Hersh, ORC